HOUSE BILL 190

By McManus

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 68, Chapter 102, Part 3, relative to financial accountability of volunteer fire departments.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 68, Chapter 102, Part 3, is amended by adding the following language as a new section:

The governing board of each recognized volunteer fire department receiving appropriations from the federal government, the state, a county, or a municipality, either directly or indirectly, shall file an annual financial report with the comptroller of the treasury and with each local government body from which the department received appropriations. The annual financial report shall be for the year ended June 30, in a form prescribed by the comptroller of the treasury, and such governing board shall file the report within six (6) months of the close of its fiscal year.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring

it.